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## Louis Silverstein collection12918783

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### Rare Book and Manuscript Library

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Silverstein, Louis
<b>Title:</b>	Louis Silverstein collection
<b>ID:</b>	12918783
<b>ID:</b>	MS#1870
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	9999
<b>Physical Description:</b>	99 linear feet 33 flat boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Louis Silverstein Collection; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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American artist and graphic designer who is best known for his work at The New York Times. He was inducted into the Art Directors Hall of Fame in 1984.

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## Summary

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Graphic designs for newspapers, promotions, magazines, books, and related work by Silverstein. He primarily worked for the New York Times, regional U.S. newspapers, foreign newspapers, and other organizations. Includes correspondence, notes, sample newspaper

issues, photographs, and negatives from his consulting projects. Also includes Silverstein's drawings, monoprints, and other artwork.

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### Publication Statement

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### Conditions Governing Access

33 flat boxes of designs, newspapers, and other materials related to Silverstein's career. Eight of the boxes have mold.

### Restrictions on Access

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### Processing Information

Collection-level record describing unprocessed material made public in summer 2018 as part of the Hidden Collections initiative.

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2005-2006-M018: Source of acquisition--Louis Silverstein. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--2005-11-22.

## **Processing Information**

Papers [processed, etc.] [initials here] mm/dd/yyyy.

## **Processing Information**

Papers appraised appraiser [date].

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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- Commercial art -- United States
- Graphic arts -- United States
- Graphic design
- Graphic artists
- Silverstein, Louis
- New York Times Company